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VIA : OCR, Graphics Registry  
: Chief, Geography Division  
Chief, Eastern Europe Branch

**Downgrading of Photographs**

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1. This Branch is presently engaged in preparing a study "Evacuation Geography" [redacted] classified **CONFIDENTIAL** in which pertinent photographs are included. Two photographs, (CIA No. 158903 and CIA No. 158905 classified **SECRET**) [redacted]

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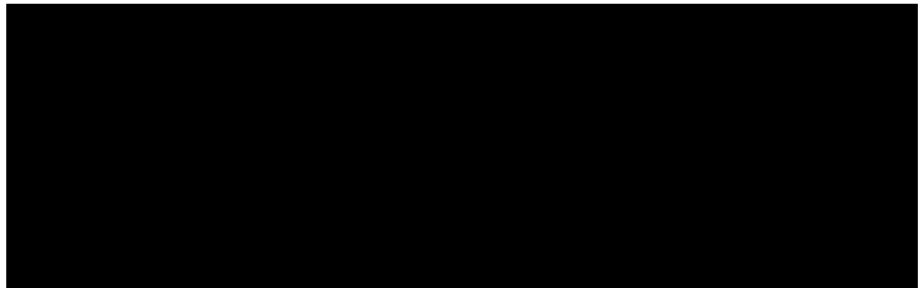
[redacted] if of a lower classification, could be utilized in and would enhance the value of the study.

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2. It is requested that the original source be queried on subject and, if possible, downgrade the photographs from **SECRET** to **CONFIDENTIAL**. Each photo is a terrain shot focused on the [redacted] of which similar photos of a lower classification are unavailable. They do not include any items which might identify the source nor do the proposed captions refer to date of photography or any other information which might lead to the identity of source. The proposed captions are:

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3. It is recognized that [redacted] was the actual source for the photographs and comments; however, the author [redacted]

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[redacted] may find it feasible to complete this request.

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